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STATEMENT BY INVENTOR
11/24/91

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

October 8, 1999

Sir:

This communication is an attachment to a Petition to Correct Inventorship under 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a), filed in connection with the above-identified application.

I, Ulrich PLANTIKOW of Bopowskystr.20, DE-81373 München Germany, am a coinventor of the above-identified application.

The inventorship error occurred without deceptive intention on my part.

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Responsive to the Notification of Defective Response dated September 8, 1999, this letter is filed as part of a petition under 37 CFR 1.48(a).

The owners of the exclusive right in and to the invention set forth in U.S. Patent Serial No. 08/981,233 filed December 19, 1997, entitled PROCESS AND DEVICE FOR CONTINUOUSLY DRYING PROTEIN-CONTAINING SLUDGE, is

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The undersigned, as an authorized legal representative acting on behalf of the ASSIGNEE, give its consent to correct the Inventorship of U.S. Patent Serial No. 08/981,233 to include Ulrich PLANTIKOW as a coinventor. The correct inventive entity is Peter GAISER, Dieter KOWALCZYK and Ulrich PLANTIKOW.

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